

KIDS Camp



Join us at the Troy Farm and experience a traditional daycamp for your children ages 6-11. Activities will include outdoor group games, songs, crafts and one field trip each week. (There are no farm animals at the farm).

All campers should bring a sack lunch each day, snack, and water bottle. Staff are college aged with experience working with children and will provide a ratio of 1:10. Sign up with a friend and be in the same counselor group. Yes, you can sign up for more than one week of fun!

Location: Troy Farm (Beach Road and South Blvd)

Instructor: Parks and Rec Camp Staff

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122500A	6-8	6/22-26	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500B	9-11	6/22-26	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500C	6-8	7/6-10	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500D	9-11	7/6-10	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500E	6-7	8/3-7	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500F	8-11	8/3-7	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500G	6-8	8/17-21	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125
122500H	9-11	8/17-21	9 am-4 pm	\$130	\$125

Before and after care available – see box at right.



Survivor Summer Camp Kids Style

This camp's theme is modeled after the popular television reality show – with one missing element. No one gets voted off! The day camp for ages 7-12 will feature daily physical, mental and team challenges. Campers will be divided into five tribes and work toward earning the “Top Tribe” award at the end of the week.

In an action-packed week, tribes will be challenged in sports, group and individual contests, arts and crafts, mind games and more. Weekly special events and two trips to the Aquatic Center round out the week. To stay energized campers need to bring a healthy lunch, snack and water bottle. **Registration fee includes:** supervision (1:10 ratio), two trips to aquatic center, climbing wall, camp T-shirt, and supplies to survive. *4-day camp

Location: Troy Community Center

Instructor: Parks and Rec Camp Staff

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122504A*	7-9	6/30-7/2	9 am-4 pm	\$115	\$110
122504B*	10-12	6/30-7/2	9 am-4 pm	\$115	\$110
122504C	7-9	7/13-17	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504D	10-12	7/13-17	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504E	7-9	7/20-24	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504F	10-12	7/20-24	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504G	7-9	7/27-31	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504H	10-12	7/27-31	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504J	7-9	8/10-14	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137
122504K	10-12	8/10-14	9 am-4 pm	\$142	\$137

Before and after care available - see box at right.



Sportsters Camp

All Sports - All Fun! Created for the sports-minded campers! A variety of sports are played daily. Develop sports confidence while improving sports skills in a team environment! Soccer, kickball and basketball are just a few of the sports that will be played. Walk to the Family Aquatic Center for swimming daily! (Swim for younger kids will be in splash area).

All campers should bring water bottles, healthy lunch and snack, swim suit, and towel. Registration fee includes: camp shirt and entry fees. Before and after care available separately. See box below.

Location: Drop off at Troy Community Center and pick up at Troy Aquatic Center.

Instructor: Parks and Rec Camp Staff (1:10)

Act#	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122512A	6-10	6/22-26	9 am-4:15 pm	\$130	\$125
122512B	6-10	7/13-17	9 am-4:15 pm	\$130	\$125
122512C	6-10	7/27-31	9 am-4:15 pm	\$130	\$125



Before and After Care choices for Campers

To sign up for “before” and/or “after” care, your child must be registered for one of these camps: KIDS Camps, Sportsters Camp, Survivor, Backyard, Water Warriors or All That Camp.

Location for care: the same site where the camp is being held. Late fees will be assessed for late pick-ups.

Before care: NR-\$37; Res Disc-\$32

After care: NR-\$37; Res Disc -\$32;

Both before and after care: NR - \$65; Res Disc - \$60

*Only 4 days - reduce fees by \$6

Dates	7:30-9 am	4-5:30 pm	Both
June 22-26	#122506A	#122506B	#122506C
June 29-July 2*	#122506D	#122506E	#122506F
July 6-10	#122506G	#122506H	#122506I
July 13-17	#122506J	#122506K	#122506L
July 27- 31	#122506M	#122506N	#122506P
Aug 3-7	#122506Q	#122506R	#122506S
Aug 10-14	#122506T	#122506U	#122506V
Aug 17-21	#122506W	#122506X	#122506Y



"All That and Then Some..."

Middle School Summer Blast

This exciting camp has been designed specifically for middle school students, ages 10-13, to get out of the house and experience fun times with their friends! Trained staff will provide a safe environment that will include challenging activities to fill the week. Activities include swimming, bowling, active group games, rockwall, outdoor sports, art projects and more.

Campers will need to bring a lunch, snack and water bottle each day. **Registration fee includes:** supervision (1:10 ratio), two field trips, rockwall, camp T-shirt, and supplies.

Location: Troy Community Center

Act#	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122508A	10-13	7/6-10	9 am-4 pm	\$135	\$130
122508B	10-13	8/3-7	9 am-4 pm	\$135	\$130
122508C	10-13	8/17-21	9 am-4 pm	\$135	\$130

Before and after care available. See box on page 44.



Backyard Explorers

Perfect for the first-time camper – your youngster will love making friends and having new outdoor adventures each day! Experienced staff will have hands-on activities, group games, crafts and more. They will experience the best of our outdoor worlds at Troy Farm and at the Stage Nature Center. Both are perfect places to explore, use your imagination and have fun. (There are no farm animals at the farm).

Campers will need to bring sunscreen, a lunch, snack, and water bottle each day. (Must be 5 years old by first day of camp)

Registration fee includes: supervision, visits to the Nature Center, camp T-shirt, and supplies.

Location: Troy Farm Monday thru Friday (*4 day camp)

Act#	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122509A	5-6	6/29-7/2	9 am-4 pm	\$100	\$95*
122509B	7-8	6/29-7/2	9 am-4 pm	\$100	\$95*
122509C	5-6	7/20-24	9 am-4 pm	\$125	\$120
122509D	7-8	7/20-24	9 am-4 pm	\$125	\$120
122509E	5-6	8/10-14	9 am-4 pm	\$125	\$120
122509F	7-8	8/10-14	9 am-4 pm	\$125	\$120

Before and after care available. See box on page 44.



The Early Bird icon indicates programs that were first offered in the previous bulletin issue and are available for immediate registration by walk-in, mail-in, or online methods. **Please do not use the registration drop box at the Community Center.**

Find more Camps on pages 68-70.



NEW

Water Warriors Camp

Does your child (ages 7-12) love the water or even dream of being a lifeguard some day?

This is the camp you have been waiting for. Each week will involve water-themed activities and contests, speakers on water rescue/safety, pizza party, field trip to an area Water Park, and of course lots of non-structured swimming time each day. All water warriors will need to bring: water bottles, a healthy sack lunch and snack, swim suit, towel and sun screen to reapply throughout the day.

Location: Drop off at the Troy Community Center. Campers will walk to the Troy Family Aquatic Center weather permitting.

Instructor: Parks and Rec Camp Staff (1:10 ratio)

Act#	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122511A	7-12	6/30-7/2	9 am-4:15 pm	\$100	\$95*
122511B	7-12	7/20-24	9 am-4:15 pm	\$130	\$125
122511C	7-12	8/10-14	9 am-4:15 pm	\$130	\$125

*4 day camp; before and aftercare available. See page 44.



NEW

Robot/Science Camps

Hyper Peppy Robotics - Act #122502A

Youngsters can build and take home their own Rockit Robot! It works by the clap of your hands or sound of your voice. It's fast. You'll see many gears, circuit board, and microphone and love its shape. Design and build other robots, and together you can do interesting tricks. **Registration Deadline:** June 15

Make it and Take it Home - Act #122502B

Youngsters will make science projects to take home that teach, that are fun... Discover how amazing science is. Make and take home a wide assortment of toys designed to teach you science concepts in a hands-on way. Grow and take home a crystal tree, make an energy bead bracelet, a lava lamp-the world's smallest motor. Make a cool sharpie shirt, your own bubbling blobs, glowing goo, ice cream the sensational way, and more.

Bring from home: one pre-washed white T-shirt. **Registration Deadline:** July 13

Mouse Robot - Act #122502C

The smartest mouse in the world. The wall hugging robot! Train it to go through a maze or follow you where you go. You build it and keep it. Learn about gears and sensors. Design and build robots to do some interesting things with our Robotix equipment.

Registration Deadline: August 10

Before/after care **NOT** available for these camps.

Minimum needed for each camp: 9 students

Location: Troy Community Center

Instructor: Sensational Workshops for Kids, Inc. Staff

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
122502A	7-12	6/22-26	9 am-Noon	\$149	\$144
122502B	6-11	7/20-24	9 am-Noon	\$149	\$144 full
122502C	7-12	8/17-21	9 am-Noon	\$149	\$144



Safety Town

This dynamic program is for youngsters living in Troy who are entering kindergarten in fall,

2009. Safety Town is a children's safety awareness program where children learn safety procedures through

involvement. "Safety Town Leonard" is a mock city complete with miniature buildings, streets, signs, stoplight, railroad crossing and tricycles which the children ride while learning safety habits. In addition to pedestrian safety, which receives the greatest emphasis, bus, household, playground, strangers and fire safety are covered. The materials used, techniques and real-life situations encountered in this program are not duplicated in any other safety program. Children are encouraged to bring their bicycle helmets. Maximum enrollment per activity number is 39. Register now!

NEW Location: Leonard Elementary School

Weeks: 2

Act #	1st/2nd week	Time	Begins	NR	Res
134120A*	M-TH/M-TH	9-11:30 am	June 22	\$92	\$87
134120B	M-TH/M-TH	12:30-3 pm	June 22	\$92	\$87
134120C	M-TH/M-TH	9-11:30 am	July 6	\$92	\$87
134120D	M-TH/M-TH	12:30-3 pm	July 6	\$92	\$87
134120E	M-TH/M-TH	9-11:30 am	July 20	\$92	\$87
134120F	M-TH/M-TH	12:30-3 pm	July 20	\$92	\$87

*Class is full-wait list only.



Roving Recreation Summer Camp

June 22 - August 14

Ages 6-12

This camp is a traveling trailer of fun that will come to a park near you. The drop in format allows participants to arrive and depart at the time of the parent's choice. Join your friends at one of our parks this summer. Sign up for the day you are choosing and each week you can attend on that day where we will have a trailer full of games, crafts and fun.

Act #	Park Location	Day	NR:	Res Disc
131140A	Firefighters	Monday	\$65	\$60
131140B	Boulan	Tuesday	\$65	\$60
131140C	Community Center	Wednesday	\$65	\$60
131140D	Jaycee	Thursday	\$65	\$60
131140E	Raintree	Friday	\$60*	\$55*

(*no camp July 3)

Registration is limited to 40 children per site. Daily participation is guaranteed to the 40 children enrolled per site. Parents must fill out and sign an emergency information card upon registration. Children will only be allowed to sign up for a maximum of three sites.

Staff will provide a fun-filled day of games, crafts and activities centered around a different theme each week. Participants should bring a sack lunch, morning snack and a drink (no glass containers). A coordinator and staff leaders will be on site from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm at the park of the day. Look for our trailer for location in the park. Inclement weather hotline: 248.689.9756, website: www.troy.mi.gov/parksrec/weatherupdates



Fame Performing Arts Camp

Fame is the name, performing arts is the game! A week long odyssey into the world of jazz dance, theatre, music and art. The camp is filled with learning and fun as children master the foundations of performing arts discipline and then combine these disciplines into an exciting finished product. The week culminates with an on-stage "stupendous" performance for parents, that highlights all this learning. No experience required! Campers are grouped by age and experience. Bring your imagination, energy and let the fun begin. Please note – bring a daily sack lunch for the full day program. Snacks provided for Activity # 134070 A&B (Pre-K-1st)*.

NEW Location: Larson Middle School

Act #	Entering	Grade	Day	Time	Session	NR	Res Disc
134070A	Pre-K-1*		M-TH	9:30 am-12 pm	June 29-July 2	\$70	\$65
134070B	Pre-K-1*		M-TH	12:15 pm-2:45 pm	June 29-July 2	\$70	\$65
134070C	4-9		M-TH	9 am-2:30 pm	July 13-17	\$115	\$110
			Fri	9 am-1 pm			
134070D	2-6		M-TH	9 am-2:30 pm	July 20-24	\$115	\$110
			Fri	9 am-1 pm			
134070E	2-6		M-TH	9 am-2:30 pm	July 27-31	\$115	\$110
			Fri	9 am-1 pm			
134070F	2-6		M-TH	9 am-2:30 pm	Aug 3-7	\$115	\$110
			Fri	9 am-1 pm			

*Pre-K children must be 4 years old



The Detroit Shock & Girls Empowered Leadership Camp for Girls 6-12 yrs

Girls will learn about leadership, successful female athletes, and the characteristics needed in sports while participating in confidence building workshops. Campers will learn about the keys to having success in sports and life, whether for fun or for competition. Topics include: healthy lifestyle, sportsmanship, commitment, motivation, and self-challenge. One Detroit Shock player will come to discuss leadership and do basketball drills with the campers. Campers will be taught a hip hop routine to perform at the Shock game the week of camp. Included in this camp are the game ticket (Aug 9th, 6pm) and a post game meet and greet with a Shock player. Before and after care are not an option for this camp.

Location: Troy Community Center

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
132508A	6-12	8/3-7	9 am-3 pm	\$180	\$175



Skateboarding Camp 2009

Skate parks are the rage with kids these days, and Troy Parks and Recreation is lucky to have one of the coolest outdoor skate parks in Michigan in our back yard! We'll be the only group using the Skate Park before noon. Our skate staff will have an all-access pass to all of the jumps, half pipes, rails, grind boxes, etc... This instructional camp will be the perfect opportunity for children interested in learning the tricks they see on ESPN's X-Games in a safe, well-structured camp. Campers are allowed to bring both their skateboards and roller blades each day. One of our staff members will be on roller blades throughout the week. Full protective equipment will be required for all participants (helmet with chin-strap, wrist guards, kneepads, and elbow pads). Staff members will be required to wear helmets just like the kids. Throughout the week, campers will be challenged progressively, encouraging them to do more difficult moves, while using all apparatuses safely. All campers will receive a camp T-shirt on Friday, and an ice-cold bottle of Gatorade daily. On Friday of each week, we'll be hosting an X-game style competition. All participants will be judged competing in a variety of categories suited for their age. Winners will be determined based on their improvement made throughout the week.

Location: Troy Skate Park

Instructor: Oakland Yard Staff

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
131200A	7-14	6/29-7/3	9 am-Noon	\$141	\$136
131200B	7-14	8/10-14	9 am -Noon	\$141	\$136

Me and My Planet Earth

NEW

Reduce, Recycle, Reuse! Kids ages 4-9 will have fun making earth-themed crafts while learning to be a steward of the earth. This camp will teach kids to be empowered in living a healthier life, leaving fewer carbon footprints and being a responsible citizen of the earth. On the last day campers will present an educational presentation to parents and friends. Youngsters will gain confidence when they show you what they have learned and practice their presentation skills.

Location: Troy Community Center

Instructor: Kids Empowered

Act #	Ages	Dates	Time	NR	Res Disc
132508B	4-6	8/10-14	9 am-Noon	\$155	\$150
132508C	7-9	8/10-14	9 am-Noon	\$155	\$150

Chess Wizards Summer Camp

NEW

Join your friends at the newest camp in Troy. Campers will participate in an array of games and activities throughout the day led by the most energetic staff members. Participants will receive quality chess lessons regardless of their level of play. Campers need to bring a lunch (no glass please). Chess Wizards will be providing the snacks. For more information on this national company, please visit Chess Wizards at www.chesswizards.com

Participants will receive: T-shirt, trophy and chess board.

Location: Troy Community Center

Instructor: Chess Wizards

Act #	Grade	Dates	Time	NR	Res
131300A	K-8	7/20-24	9 am-3 pm	\$355	\$350

Before and after care is available for an additional fee. See page 48 for details.

Four Convenient Ways to Register:

1. Online @ www.troymi.gov/parksandreconline May 12 at 8 am
2. Mail in
3. Drop Off
4. Walk-in/non-resident: May 19 at 8 am

Troy Parks and Recreation
3179 Livernois Rd

Questions about registration call: 248.524.3484